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"AMERICAN GIRL" IS SIGHTED 500 MILES FROM N. Y.

Ruth Elder and Her Pilot Are Reported As Progressing Very Well

WEATHER FAVORABLE

Speed of 90 Miles per Hour Is Maintained — May Increase Later

NEW YORK, Oct. 12 (I.N.S.)—The Independent Wireless reported at 6 a. m. today that it had received a wireless message from the S. S. American Banker reporting that the vessel had sighted the American Girl at 10.35 o'clock last night.

The position of the plane was given at latitude 41 north, longitude 65.04 west.

The plane circled the ship and then went on. It was making good time. Weather conditions were ideal.

The wireless company said the delay in receiving the message was due to heavy static which had interfered with all radio communication during the night.

The American Banker reported that a light northwest breeze was blowing at the time the plane was sighted.

The position given by the vessel would place the "American Girl" directly south of Halifax and almost 500 miles on her course out of New York.

The plane carried Ruth Elder, the first American woman to attempt a trans-Atlantic crossing, and George Haldeman, her co-pilot. They left Roosevelt Field, New York, at 5.04 p. m. yesterday for Paris.

The report from the American Banker indicated that the plane was making approximately 90 miles an hour. If no mishaps occurred after they were sighted by the steamer, the fliers should have traversed at least 1260 miles at seven o'clock this morning. This would place them near the regular steamer lane, as they had planned to head northward after flying due east for approximately 1250 miles. With its load of gasoline lightened as the hours passed, the plane probably increased its speed after sighting the American Banker and reached the steamer lane before seven o'clock this morning, it was estimated.

Odd Fellows To Install Recently-Elected Officers

Tonight the recently elected officers of Hopkins Lodge No. 87, I. O. O. F., will be installed by District Deputy Grand Master B. Frank Cope, of Forest Grove.

The next district meeting of the I. O. O. F. is to be held at Yardley on the evening of October 26th, when it is urged that there be a large attendance.

A class initiation for the entire district is being arranged and at the meeting to be held at Yardley on October 26th, a further report upon this plan will be made.

Release Trenton Man From \$300 Cash Bail

DOYLESTOWN, Oct. 12.—In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Bucks County yesterday, Judge William C. Ryan made a rule absolute in petition for release of \$300 cash bail as surety in the order made upon Erwin Rogers, of Trenton, to pay his wife \$12 a week toward her support.

Roger's wife was several days ago implicated in an affair in Trenton that caused her death, after which Mrs. Lucy McCluskey, 39, of Trenton, was committed to the County Jail in Trenton in default of \$10,000 bail, charged with committing an illegal operation that resulted in Mrs. Roger's death.

On February 15, 1926, Roger was before Judge Ryan on a charge of desertion and non-support of his wife and three small children. They lived near Yardley at that time. Judge Ryan made an order of \$12 a week and placed Rogers under \$300 bail to comply with the order. On September 7, a petition for a rule for the release of the \$300 bail was filed with the Court. Yesterday the rule was made absolute and the bail returned to Rogers.

PASTOR'S AID TO MEET

The Pastor's Aid Society of the Methodist Church will meet on Thursday at 3 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Harry Bunting, Cedar street.

"JOLLY EIGHT" MEET

Mrs. David Neill, of 1013 Pond street, entertained the "Jolly Eight" card club of which she is a member on Tuesday evening. The game of "500" was played. Prizes were won by Mrs. Stacy Cullen, Miss Anna Wilkinson and Mrs. Alfred McLaughlin. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

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If subscribers to the Courier are not receiving their paper regularly they will do the publishers a favor by so notifying the office. Just call Bristol 156, giving name and address.

Regional Red Cross To Hold Conference in Phila.

At the instance of the National Headquarters, American Red Cross, a regional Red Cross conference is to be held in the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel, Broad and Walnut streets, Philadelphia, on October 20th. The Southeastern Pennsylvania Chapter will be the host and invitations are being sent to other chapters in Pennsylvania.

Judge John Barton Payne, chairman of the American National Red Cross, will speak at the luncheon to be served at 12.30, price of which is \$1.50 per plate.

As there will be a report of the Mississippi flood relief work and a discussion of the coming roll call and other important features of the Red Cross program, it is the hope of the Southeastern Pennsylvania chapter that its branches, auxiliaries and workers will be largely represented in this conference.

Anyone desiring to buy tickets and attend are requested to notify Mrs. S. P. Landreth, before October 17th.

PLANS FOR RIGHTS OF WAY ARE BEING FILED

State Highway Department Anticipates The Future Traffic Needs

BUCKS CO. IS INCLUDED

HARRISBURG, Oct. 11 (I.N.S.)—Plans for the ultimate right of way on the major State highways are being filed with the county commissioners now because of the anticipation of future traffic needs, James L. Stuart, Secretary of Highways, said today.

Stuart said that in some cases county authorities do not understand why such plans are being filed nor what the ultimate purpose of the department is.

The secretary cited past expansion in the registration of motor vehicles to support his statement that in ten years there will be 2,500,000 registrations in Pennsylvania.

Before the arrival of that number of registrations, he asserted, Pennsylvania's main highways must be broad enough to bear three and four times the amount of traffic they are now carrying.

Filing of plans for roads which ultimately will be from 80 to 120 feet in being done to prevent unnecessary encroachment near the main arteries of traffic. After filing of the plans which the State sets aside will have difficulty in obtaining damages when roads are widened.

Previous to January, 1927, ultimate right of way drawings on seven projects totalling some 52 miles had been completed and recorded in the county offices. Since that time 71 projects totalling more than 600 miles had been recorded. At the present time there are about 35 projects with more than 210 miles of highway on which plans have been completed and the final approval and recording will be done at once.

Including these projects a total program of 2,600 miles is in the process of development. This work will continue until all the main highways of the State have been covered.

Bucks County is included in the list.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 12 (I.N.S.)—Use the street car instead of your automobile when you go to work. That's the suggestion offered today by Richard C. Haldeman, president of the Pennsylvania Motor Federation, offered as a means of lessening congestion in the business districts.

Haldeman asserts that he holds no brief for and is not interested in any electric railways company, but insists that trolleys serve the average city dweller on his way to work much better than the automobile.

"If men and women went to work in street cars; if shoppers rode downtown in the electric cars; if automobile time-killers kept their machines in residential sections or on country roads," Haldeman said, traffic congestion in business districts would be partially solved.

To support his contention that the automobile is not a time saver for the average shopper or worker, Haldeman points out that the average autoist who parks in a downtown section loses at least fifteen minutes finding a place to park and then walking the rest of the distance to work.

It is the cars of these same persons, he said, that then remain parked all day on busy streets and thereby help to narrow the travelable portion of thoroughfares.

FERN ROCK TO PLAY ST. ANN'S

Fern Rock will play St. Ann's here Sunday on the local grounds. Fern Rock boasts of being one of the best teams in the city. Last year they played a hard battle with Bristol A. A. and held Riverside "Big Green" to a tie score. Last week Fern Rock was scheduled to meet Darby A. A., which has some of Penn's former stars on its team. Fern Rock has four 200-pound linemen and say they will give the "Saints" a stiff battle.

"NO GUNNING" NOTICES

"No Gunning" notices for sale at the Courier office, Beaver and Garden streets, Bristol, Pa. Buy now and be sure of your supply.

BURLINGTON'S PROGRESS DURING 250-YEAR PERIOD IS DEPICTED IN COLORFUL 4-MILE PAGEANT

Floata Are Most Attractive and Numerous — Governor A. Harry Moore is An Honor Guest — Throngs Line Sidewalks As the Sections Pass By

BURLINGTON, N. J., Oct. 12.—From the days of Chief Ocanickon and the early Quaker settlers to the organization of its modern population, from the candle dip to the latest electric illumination, from the stagecoach to the most modern motor equipment, from the first meeting house under logs and canvas sails to the stately edifice of today, Burlington's history and tradition were portrayed yesterday afternoon in probably the most colorful pageant ever held in South Jersey. The pageantry was a feature of the city's week of celebration in honor of its 250th anniversary.

Governor Moore, the city's guest of honor, reviewed the baby parade in the morning, later addressing the children from the reviewing stand on High street. He told the boys and girls that the heritage that had come to them should inspire them to emulate the great characters of their city's history.

"Don't be satisfied with merely waving the flag on such gala occasions as this, but live for it every day," the Governor advised his juvenile audience. "You have greater opportunities than your forefathers had here, and surely you should pass along to posterity a record as great as theirs."

Uncle WIP, of broadcasting fame, was a special guest of the children and gave them a characteristic talk, following the parade. He was a guest later of the Burlington Kiwanis Club and delivered a patriotic address.

The procession in the afternoon was four miles long. Thousands of visitors, many of them former Burlingtonians back for Old Home Week, joined the crowds along the line of march. Out of the past in costumes of their period came historic figures of the city's brilliant annals to receive the plaudits of the throngs.

George Washington, a frequent visitor; Elias Boudinot, of Burlington, who was actually President two years before Washington was elected under the Constitution; Benjamin Franklin and Isaac Collins, who printed here the first paper money; General Grant, of a later period, were some of those who shared honors with modern heroes of the American Legion and scores of beautiful floats.

Captain James Lawrence, of "Don't give-up-the-ship" fame, was shown on his ship, with his crew, portrayed by boys of the school that bears his name.

One of the floats portrayed an old-fashioned library, showing a boy writing. He typified James Fenimore Cooper, the novelist, who was born in Burlington.

William Penn's visit, Robert Stacy treating with the Indians and the ship Kent that brought the first pioneers were other high lights in the pageant. Burlington County grangers in a series of floats pictured the progress of agriculture from the days of Penn to the present. Burlington firemen, with the Endeavor figuring as the oldest volunteer company in the State, showed the evolution of fire fighting from the days of the hand pumps to the latest in motorized equipment.

Stephen Grellette and John Woolman, famous missionaries of the Society of Friends, were represented by members of that organization. Direct descendants of many of the first settlers were on many of the historic floats.

INTERESTING PROGRAM FOR FATHERS' ASS'N

Excellent Speaker Booked For Meeting Here Tomorrow Night

MacARTHUR TO SING

A very interesting program has been arranged for the meeting of the Fathers' Association, which is to be held in the high school auditorium tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

The speaker for the occasion will be Lawrence H. Rupp, Esq., ex-District Attorney of Lehigh County. Mr. Rupp is a prominent member of the Order of Elks, and is known to the members of the Bristol Lodge, having visited here on several occasions. He is an eloquent and convincing speaker, and those who attend the meeting will be fully repaid.

Mr. Rupp is coming to Bristol upon the invitation of Mr. Pemberton Minster, who has been associated with him through the Order of Elks. Through Mr. Minster, it has been learned that Mr. Rupp is very much interested in the development and advancement of education, and takes an unusual interest in boys and boys' work. The soloist for the occasion will be Andrew MacArthur.

A committee of the Fathers' Association is now busy making preparations for the annual minstrel show, which will be held during the month of December.

FOR JOB PRINTING OF THE BETTER KIND — TRY OURS

LATE NEWS

BLYTEVILLE, Ark., Oct. 12 (I.N.S.)—Five dead and 18 injured was the toll of life taken early today by a severe storm which shipped through the village of Dell, eight miles from here.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 12 (I.N.S.)—Edward Lucey, of New York, on trial in Court of Oyer and Terminer, here, for the murder of his wife, Goldie, on May 12 last, was given the death penalty in the rendition of the verdict by the jury when court opened this morning. The jurors deliberated on the case for fifteen and one-half hours before arriving at a final decision. They were given the case after Judge Joseph L. Kun had explained the points of law involved at 6.30 last night.

LOWER BUCKS PASTORS MEET AT HULMEVILLE

Meeting Held at Residence of Mrs. Helen Illick, Yesterday

A PLEASING PROGRAM

HULMEVILLE, Oct. 12.—The Lower Bucks County Ministerial Association of the Methodist Episcopal Church met here yesterday at the residence of Mrs. Helen Illick, who acting as hosts being Mrs. Helen Illick, Mrs. Martha Main, Rev. Walter H. Canon, of Hulmeville; and Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Griffith, of Cornwells Heights.

The morning devotions were in charge of Dr. Griffith, and prayers were offered by the Rev. Frank W. Scott and Mrs. Griffith. Following the regular business session, Dr. John Ellery, of Bristol, gave a paper: "Quotations Concerning Evolution."

Dinner was served at 12 o'clock by Mrs. Samuel J. Illick, Mrs. E. M. Peck, Mrs. Jesse G. Webster, Mrs. George Douglas and Mrs. E. W. Henry, of Hulmeville.

At 2.10 p. m., the second session of the day was called to order, at which time the Rev. William H. Aspell presented a paper on "The Minister—A Pastor or Social Worker." The meeting adjourned at 4 o'clock to meet in December at Newtown.

Those who were present yesterday: Dr. and Mrs. John Ellery, of Bristol; Rev. and Mrs. T. Norton Hyde, of Newtown; Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Aspell, Narberth; Rev. Frank W. Scott, Norris Square; Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Griffith and Miss Helen Griffith, of Cornwells Heights; Mrs. James J. Bingham and daughter Nancy, of Oak Lane; Rev. and Mrs. Amos D. Geist, Roxborough; Rev. and Mrs. George C. Shoe, Croyston; Mrs. Alexander B. Davidson and Mrs. E. W. Randolph, of Treves; Mrs. Martha Main, Mrs. Helen Illick and the Rev. Walter H. Canon, of Hulmeville.

Prizes awarded in the civic parade: First prize, \$25, Women's Lodge; Polish women; second, \$10, senior group, Y. W. C. A.

Men's clubs, first prize, \$25, Polish Men's Club; second, \$10, Burlington Lodge No. 996, B. P. O. E.

Historical division—First prize, \$25, American Legion float; second, \$10, Captain James Lawrence School float; Fire companies—First prize, \$25, Hope Fire Company; second, \$10, Mitchell and Niagara Fire Companies; Industrial division—First prize, \$25, United States Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Company float; second, William Measey & Sons.

COLUMBUS IS LAUDED IN THE SCHOOLS, HERE

Anniversary of Discovery of America is Observed by School Pupils

SONGS and RECITATIONS

Bristol public schools today celebrated the anniversary of the date of the landing of Christopher Columbus on the shores of America, many of the classes holding short programs in their various class rooms.

At the Bath street building, of which Miss Margaret Barrett is principal, the teachers had charge of short programs early this morning. In grade one the first number on the program was a story about Columbus, this being followed by a talk on ships. The students then drew ships, and the short exercises closed with a poem about the man in whose honor this day is set apart.

Grades one and two, taught by Miss Emma Anthony, offered the following program: "A Child's Own Story of Columbus," given by Dominic Di Marchis; story of "Columbus and the New Land," poem, "October Twelfth," written by Margaret Noble; play, "The Triumph of Columbus"; drawing of ships.

Miss Grace H. Haas, in charge of the second and third grades, had her pupils present the following: Song, "Columbus"; dramatization of a story of Columbus, taken from the third reader; poem, "The Ships of Columbus"; drawing of the three ships.

An original play staged by the pupils of 6-B and 5-A, in charge of Mrs. Lunderbough, was much enjoyed. The parts taken and the impersonators: Columbus, Louis Townsend; Queen, Mary Cornell; King, Paul Singer; sailors, boys; crowd, girls; Indians, pupils of 5-A.

The singing of "America" opened the exercises of the fourth grade. This was followed by a scene from (Continued on Page Four)

WHY FIRE PREVENTION WEEK?

(Editorial from Quakertown Free Press)

MANY do not remember the actual occurrence of the Chicago fire in 1871, but the story of the cow kicking the lantern is impressed vividly on the minds of all who read the account in history during "school days."

It was with this story in mind that the Bureau of Fire Protection instituted a Fire Prevention week some years ago, and that week is again approaching.

October 9 to 15, the latter date being the anniversary of the great Chicago disaster, comes at a most opportune time to impress the public with suggestions for fire prevention.

On the heels of Summer comes the time when homes must be heated, the time when not only a fuel supply should be stored up for the Winter, but a time when the system for consuming that fuel should undergo a rigid inspection.

Useful as furnaces and chimneys are, they have been also man's most deceptive enemies. Not through any fault of their own, but because of man's own carelessness.

Man would not think of building a fire on the living room floor, nor would he send flames up through the air spaces in the walls in an attempt to heat his house. Yet, because of his carelessness, he does this very thing when he fails to protect the combustible materials above and around his furnace or permits the chimney to become dilapidated or faulty.

Until the time that the human mind conceives the real importance of Fire Prevention Week, not only in October, but throughout the other eleven months in the year, there shall be fires and dangers of fires, and the loss of life and property shall continue as it is now doing, to increase year after year.

The public's continued failure to recognize or check this increasing loss means nothing else than that the already high cost of commodities, or living, if you call it such, keeps on mounting as an added tax that is imposed on every individual in this land.

NEW BRITAIN FOLKS IN COURT TO HAVE TOWN 'CORPORATED

For 75 Years Village Was Built Up Around A Church

SOME ARE OBJECTING

Advocates Are Given the First Hearing In The Case

DOYLESTOWN, Oct. 12.—That the village of New Britain made up of territory in New Britain and Doylestown townships, should be incorporated into a borough, is the firm belief of every one of the witnesses called Monday by counsel for the petitioners at a hearing in the Court of Quarter Sessions where an application has been made for a charter.

For seventy-five years the village has been built up around a church building and it is high time, one witness said, that the village be incorporated into a borough and a progressive step toward advancement taken.

Monday the "pros" were heard. The "cons," or those protesting against the petition, will be given an opportunity to testify. A remonstrance has been filed against the granting of a charter of incorporation and as was brought out Monday, the opposing factions include a portion of the citizens of the section, the New Britain road district, Doylestown township road district, Doylestown borough school district and the New Britain township school district.

Edwin H. Burkhardt, Sr., who said he was chairman of the committee appointed at a town meeting to map out a proposed area for a borough, gave many reasons why, in his opinion the village should be incorporated. "You are the chief cook and bottle washer of the petitioners, are you not?" asked former Judge Harmon Yerkes, representing the citizens who oppose incorporation.

"Yes, I was made chairman of the committee," was Mr. Burkhardt's answer. Mr. Burkhardt then stated that the proposed borough plan will take in about 2 6/10 miles of roads. He said the valuation of the property in the proposed plan was \$179,000 at the time the petition was started. Of this amount about \$119,000 is in New Britain township.

Under the proposed plan the borough would be close to two miles in length along the concrete highway that runs between Doylestown and Chalfont. Starting at the western point at Bristol road the new borough would continue east to the Shady Retreat school. North and south it would reach at the widest point from the cemetery near Cook's Run north to Pine Run on the Almshouse road, or the township dividing line that runs directly through the center of the village at the present time. The acreage in the proposed borough would be 572 3/4, of which 115 acres and 16 perches are in Doylestown township and 428 acres and 64 perches are in New Britain township.

That he signed the petition as a non-freeholder, Frank K. Pilson, of New Britain, editor of a Chalfont newspaper, stated that he had considered the proposition carefully. He said that some who signed the remonstrance against the proposition, had signed in favor of incorporation, too. The witness said that the assessed valuation of property of the petitioners in the proposed plan is \$390,955, while the valuation of the "protesters" is \$52,250, while \$36,700 is unpledged.

The potential revenue available, Mr. Pilson continued, amounts to \$2840 from a school tax without the state appropriation, and \$2064 for roads. He said that not anywhere near \$2064 has been spent in any single year on roads in the district by the supervisors.

One polling place for the proposed borough would be a great benefit, Mr. Pilson pointed out. He also said that a better fire protection could be afforded, the very great danger of bad accidents along the concrete highway would be avoided by the erection of a sidewalk of an inexpensive nature.

Under cross examination conducted by Wesley Bunting, attorney for the Doylestown township road district, Mr. Pilson denied that the citizens wanted the place incorporated simply because they would get two miles of concrete state highway in their proposed borough.

In answer to another question asked by William H. Satterthwaite, representing the Doylestown borough school district, Mr. Pilson replied that in his opinion it would be far better to operate with one school with two rooms than to have two one-room schools in the same district now, with one school in operation eight months and the other nine months.

Francis J. Myers, of New Britain, who was mentioned as the largest taxpayer in the district, testified for the petitioners. He said that under the proposed plan he would have 160 acres in the borough.

"The speed along the concrete highway is dangerous now without police protection of some kind," continued Mr. Myers. "The children for instance have to carry water along the highway for some distance to the school house every day. We would like to (Continued on Page Four)

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CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS

In many cities the lead in the observance of Columbus Day is left to citizens of Italian origin. This is much more creditable to those of foreign lineage than to those who boast of their Colonial heritage.

It is most natural that Italian emotions should be aroused in connection with Christopher Columbus. He is an outstanding character among Italian great men. One can readily understand why those planning today's celebration in this city should be doing it with spirit and enthusiasm.

But it is not easy to understand why others in this and other cities should not find in Columbus an inspiration to do his memory honor. One need only recall the persistency with which this Genoese navigator, fired by the book of the Polos on their experience in Cathay, pressed his claims before the thrones of Portugal and Spain until finally royal approval was won, to admire the traits of character which belonged to Columbus.

Even if Columbus had not set sail or even made the discoveries he did, his was a life to challenge respect. Without his explorations his name probably would not have been handed down, but none the less in character and talent, he was an unusual man and Bristol can observe his day today in the spirit not only of gratitude but of admiration.

GULLIBILITY

By putting together and comparing reports that have been prepared by the American Bankers' Association, the National Association of Credit Men, the Research Bureau of New York University and the Better Business Bureau of New York it has been estimated that during the last year Americans have been swindled out of \$1,400,000,000. Losses through fraud are manifestly increasing, for figures compiled from the same sources in the twelve months immediately preceding reached a total of only \$1,000,000,000. It is a situation that is well worthy of all the study and research that are being applied to it by the organizations named, which are being ably assisted by the New York Stock Exchange and several other powerful bodies.

Various forms of fraud enter into the grand total. Some of the deceptions practiced by the swindlers are of a character against which it is difficult even for astute men to guard. But the greater part of the loot is taken from persons who succumb to the temptation to risk their money on "get-rich-quick" schemes. Analysis of the estimated losses discloses that about \$1,000,000,000 was dropped by the victims in worthless securities and shady promotion enterprises. Moreover, of the fraudulent securities into which the money was put oil shares were by far the most popular, notwithstanding that the American people have been repeatedly warned that even the best of petroleum stocks are speculative in character rather than safe investments for persons not well informed on business affairs, and even though the conviction and imprisonment of numerous oil stock swindlers in recent years have directed conspicuous attention to the prevalence of fraud in oil well promotions.

Before investing in securities it is well for most persons to get the advice of reputable bankers or experienced business men.

People generally save a few cents words for a rainy day.

News of Nearby Towns

Langhorne

The attractive home of Dr. S. L. Ridge is nearing completion and will be ready for occupancy in about six weeks.

Miss Florence V. Marple is spending some time in Virginia visiting relatives.

Mrs. John Baxter is confined to the house by illness.

John May is having the old mortar removed from his house and the stones repointed which adds greatly to its appearance.

Dr. and Mrs. Henry Lovett spent two days last week at Pocono Manor. A number of people from Langhorne attended the Doylestown Fair.

Wilmer S. Black has built a new two-ton "White" truck body and cab for William White of "Hilcrest Farm," Bensalem Township.

Dr. William Pettigall, Dean of the Philadelphia Bible School spoke at the Presbyterian Church on Wednesday evening on "Why Study the Bible?"

The adult Bible class of the M. E. Sunday School met at the home of Mrs. George Pidoock on Tuesday evening. An interesting program was rendered followed by refreshments.

Mrs. Henry Kassebaum left last week for Wilkesburg, Pa., where she will spend several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Milnor.

Mrs. George G. Fetterolf, who spent three months with her daughter, Mrs. E. E. Everitts at Roaring Branch, Pa., has returned to her home here.

George O. Walton, of Philadelphia, formerly of this place, was in town last week.

The first fall meeting of the Langhorne Sorosis was held in the Library on Thursday, October 6th. After the business session the following program was presented: National topics—foreign, Mrs. Harry P. Rothermel; domestic, Mrs. J. Hibbs Buckman; worth while books, Mrs. Ernest Harvey; piano duets, Mrs. Raymond Acuff and Mrs. Samuel Featherington.

FALLSINGTON

Bishop and Mrs. Garland, of Philadelphia; Rev. and Mrs. Arnold, of Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Appleby, of Spottswood, were Sunday visitors of Rev. and Mrs. F. H. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Headley and family spent Sunday at Avon-by-the-Sea.

Mr. and Mrs. Dooling and family, of Trenton, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wolpert.

Bishop Garland administered confirmation to a class of eleven in All Saints' Episcopal Church on Sunday morning.

Mrs. Elizabeth Haines spent Friday with Dr. Joseph Satterthwaite and wife in Trenton.

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Hulmeville

At the special service in the Methodist Church tonight the Rev. Walter S. Johnston, pastor of the Bensalem M. E. Church, will be the speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. William Harrison, of Walnut street, are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Harrison and son, of New Brunswick, N. J.

State News

VANDEGRIFT, Pa., Oct. 12 (I.N.S.)—The romantic story of how a haunting love melody sung by a popular soloist won for the singer a beautiful Southern girl was revealed here dur-



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SYNOPSIS

It is the year 1896; Bob, son of Hank Armstrong, a horse fancier, is secretly inventing gasoline engines and openly courting Rose Robbins. He has a rival in Steve Bentley and the two men begin to quarrel consistently over the girl. Hank, loving horses and having anything which might supplant the animal, discovers his son's mechanical drawings and the beginning of an open break between the two ensues. Haynes, the inventor of a horseless carriage, has roused Maple City's interest and the following spring Stebbins, the banker, introduces the first automobile to the town and has his first ride.

CHAPTER VIII

Autumn faded into a blustering winter, with deep, heavy snows. And then, with lover-like caresses, the warm sun touched the broad plains of the middle west and Maple City blossomed forth under the spell of the magic touch. Hank's run-in with Elwood Haynes was almost forgotten when the town received another jolt. The most conservative citizen bought an automobile. On an early May morning a free-lanced errand boy rushed forth from the bank, slammed the door and hung up the sign: "Closed for the Day." Steven Bentley and his father issued from their drug store in double-quick time, read the sign and hurried down the street. Children raced madly from the school-house and scampered across the yard into Main street, calling: "Holiday! Holiday!" Homes spewed forth housewives in gingham dresses and aprons. Within five minutes the news had traveled through the town, and the square



He sat down by the car and re-opened his instruction book.

was rapidly filling with men, women and children.

There, in the square, the center of all admiration and awe, stood an automobile, new, shiny, resplendent. It suggested, more than anything else, a four seated carriage, with its fringed canopy, the large buggy wheels, high mud guards and open sides. A brake and a steering rod, the mechanism of which was exposed to public view, were to the right of the driver, while the typical carriage lamps were installed on either side of the machine and by the fenders.

But the sight of the horseless carriage caused no more commotion than did the appearance of its owner, who was none other than Horace Stebbins, president of the Farmers' Bank, when he opened the front door of his residence and stood on the steps of his home, overlooking the square. A long, tan linen duster concealed his figure, and pulled low over his black-ribboned nose glasses was a chauffeur's cap with goggles so attached as to be capable of resting on the eye shield or pulled down over the eyes. Behind him came Mrs. Stebbins, enveloped in a huge motoring duster of black silk and wearing a hat of unusually small proportions for that day, which was covered by a floating chiffon veil whose ends tied about her neck in a natty bow. For this was the age of unweaved roads, and inch-thick coatings of dust were the result of motor travel in good weather. In bad weather the parties returned mud-spattered and travel-worn. While lined up behind Mrs. Stebbins stood the four Stebbins children, dressed appropriately for their first motor ride.

Hank Armstrong, with his friends, stood looking on with unvelled amusement. But pitted against their cynicism was the undaunted belief of Bob and Rose. These two were standing as close to the car as they could possibly get. With a loving hand Bob reached out and touched the steering rod—all eagerness to see it work, while Rose admired the contours of the shining chassis. On the other side of the car stood Steve, superciliously surveying the machine. Mayor Robbins hesitated between the two factors—interested but dubious.

ing the recent visit of Ralph Napoli, young tender with Irving Aaronson's Commanders, one of America's finest popular music orchestras.

It happened in Paris. The Commanders were playing a four-months' engagement at the Ambassadors' Club, Napoli, young and of a pleasing presence, was featuring the song "Memories," sung in his soft, persuasive tenor voice, accompanied by masterful strumming of his banjo. This night the song found its way into one heart, there to stay.

The heart belonged to Ruth Dodd, daughter of a wealthy Atlanta, Ga., society leader, who was staying at her father's summer home in Paris. Several times she heard the melting tones

of Napoli's voice, mellow with the dream of beautiful Italian skies. Then, one evening, she congratulated the young singer. What would you? She was lovely, Napoli noticed.

Now it is rumored that the young soloist and Miss Dodd are engaged. During his visit to his parents here, Ralph was faced with the rumor.

"Is it true?" his friends insisted. But Napoli would do no more than smile. But he didn't deny it, so his friends are rather certain that it's the truth, and nothing but.

There is a strain of tragedy mixed in with the story of Napoli's romance. While he was in Paris—and about the time his love-song was flowering in the heart of the beautiful Miss Dodd—Ralph's father died here. His mother, Mrs. Mary Napoli, of Lowell street, did not want to spoil Ralph's career with sorrow and a hurried trip to America. So she bore her grief alone, and Napoli never knew of his father's death until he arrived here for the short vacation which he was allowed before the Commanders journeyed to New York for a five week's engagement at Roxie's Theatre.

The story of Napoli and Miss Dodd is almost a parallel with that of Clifford Stanley, 17-year-old eccentric dancer with the Commanders, whose

rivalry with Roger Wolfe Kahn for the hand of Virginia Franck, the dancer, has attracted much attention lately. Last year Stanley visited here with Napoli, and the two are fast friends. Like Napoli, Stanley met the girl of his dreams at the Cafe des Ambassadeurs.

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EVENTS FOR TONIGHT

Meeting of Camp No. 89, P. O. of A. Meeting of Hopkins Lodge No. 87, I. O. O. F.

Meeting of Italian Welfare Association.

—Mrs. Adam Smith has returned to her home on Walnut street, after attending the Daughters of America convention at Erie, Pa.

—Miss Caroline Sells, of Mulberry street, visited with relatives in Philadelphia over the week-end and on Saturday evening attended the show, "My Maryland," at the Chestnut Street Theatre.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Light, of Camden, N. J., were recent guests of relatives in town. Mrs. Light will be remembered as Miss Elsie Bailey.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. F. McGee and son, Leonard, of Beaver street, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McGee, of Washington street, spent Sunday at West Chester, where they visited Raymond McGee, who is a student at St. Aloysius Military Academy.

—Mr. Michael Barrett, of Mauch Chunk, is the guest at the home of his sisters, the Misses Anne and Margaret Barrett, of 624 Beaver street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Donaldson, of Olney, Pa., spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. John McGinley, of Buckley street.

—Miss Anne Wheeler, of Washington street, spent Saturday with relatives in Philadelphia and while there attended a dance.

—Mrs. McCue, of Pine street, spent Tuesday with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Moore, of Burlington, N. J.

—Mrs. L. E. Pope and daughter, Miss Gertrude, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Clark, of Burlington, N. J., for several days this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bunting, of Philadelphia, were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Bunting's mother, Mrs. Anna Appleton, of Wilson street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Foster and son, Joseph, of Beaver street, spent the week-end with relatives in Glenside.

—Mr. Joseph Boyle and family are moving from 709 Pine street to 229 Madison street.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Fleming and daughter, of Wilmington, Del., and Mr. Walter Bunting, of Ambler, Pa., were recent guests of Mrs. Mary Hess, of Bath street.

—Miss Margaret Barrett, of Beaver street, spent Saturday and Sunday in Mauch Chunk, Pa., visiting her brother, Mr. Michael Barrett, who returned to Bristol with her on Sunday to pay his relatives here a visit.

—Mrs. Griffith Williams, of Radcliffe street, was hostess at her home on Saturday evening at cards.

—Mr. Alexander Wood MacKay, of 241 Madison street, has accepted a position with the Keystone Aircraft Corporation.

—Miss Mary McGinley, of Otter street, was a Monday guest of her cousin, Miss Elizabeth Waters, of Germantown, Pa.

—Mrs. B. B. Gallagher, of Borden-town, N. J., returned to her home on Monday from a several days' visit to Mrs. Nellie I. McGee, of Lafayette and Wood streets.

—Mr. and Mrs. Russell De Long, of Monroe street, had as guests over the week-end, Mr. De Long's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George De Long, of Germantown, Pa.

—Mrs. Catharine McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. John J. McDonald and son, Jack, of 834 Pine street, spent Saturday and Sunday in Morrisville, Pa., visiting Mrs. McDonald's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ettinger.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clayton, of Mill street, are entertaining this week, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Somers, of Somers Point, N. J.

—Miss Sophia Chandlerline, of Tor-

resdale, Pa., was a guest over the week-end of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bauroth, of 346 Jackson street.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hallowell, of 245 McKinley street, had as a week-end guest, Mrs. Hallowell's sister, Miss Lillian Titus, of Philadelphia.

—Miss Mary Conley, of 221 Market street, has been ill at her home for the past few days.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. Phillips Landreth, of Pine Grove, had as a guest over the week-end, Miss Lydia Furbush, of Philadelphia.

—Mr. Joseph Cartney, who is a member of the United States Army, now located at Panama, has been a guest for the past month of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Miller, of 272 Hayes street. Mr. Cartney will terminate his visit next week and leave again for Panama.

—Messrs. Harry Goodman, Charles Walp, Stanley Phillips and Paul Karp, of Trenton avenue, accompanied by Mr. Wilmer Hibbs, of Mill street, left on Saturday to spend the week-end at Tuckerton, N. J., with all plans made for a fishing trip on the Delaware Bay, but it rained so hard that all the fishermen got were a few clams at Seaside, N. J.

—Miss Annie B. Landreth, of Radcliffe street, had as guests over Sunday her nephew, Mr. Robert Masters, of New York, and his fiancée, Miss Mary Morsemann, of Omaha, Nebraska.

—Miss Rose Carney, of Philadelphia, was a guest over the week-end of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Miller, of 272 Hayes street.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell, of 348 Jackson street, have as a guest this week, Mrs. Edward Dowdy, of Philadelphia.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crosby, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end, visiting Mrs. Crosby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bunting, of Cedar street.

—Mrs. Thomas Kelly, of 221 Madison street, was a guest yesterday of Miss Vernie Ayars, of Burlington, N. J.

—Mrs. John Stubena and children, of Philadelphia, have been visiting Mrs. Stubena's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Miller, of 272 Hayes street.

—Mr. Ellis E. Ratcliffe, of 342 Jefferson avenue, will be a Saturday visitor of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Griffith Ratcliffe, of Camden, N. J.

—Miss Lorraine Gold, of 920 Radcliffe street, was an overnight guest on Friday, of friends in Merchantville, N. J.

—Miss Dora Allen, of Trenton, N. J., has been a guest for the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Jones, of Trenton avenue.

—Mrs. William Roeder and son, of New York City, are paying a week's visit to Mrs. Roeder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Karp, of Cleveland street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stiles, of Warm Springs, Virginia, have been the guests for the past two weeks of Mrs. Susan Prinold, of Bath Road. Mr. and Mrs. Stiles will leave for their home the latter part of the week. On Sunday, Mrs. Prinold and her guests and Mr. Harry W. Phipps, of North Radcliffe street, enjoyed a motor trip of four hundred and sixty-five miles through Yardley, New Hope, Easton

and Delaware Water Gap, Pa., Milford, Port Jervis and Narrowsburg, N. Y., so called because there is found the narrowest part of the Delaware River, from which the name is derived. The return trip was made through Mt. Pocono, Easton and Doylestown, Pa.

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M. Clemens.

DUBLIN BOROUGH — Ledy Gruver.

DURHAM — Arthur L. Durns.

FALLS — John T. Fish.

HAYCOCK — Elmer R. Stover.

HILLTOWN — Harrison W. Danen-

hower.

State News

YORK, Pa., Oct. 12 (I.N.S.)—Colonel the horse which draws a delivery wagon for a baking company at Red Lion, near here, may be a bit skittish, but he's a law-abiding animal.

Frightened by a newspaper which blew across his path he took a driverless wagon down West Broadway at breakneck speed, scattering hundreds of loaves of bread about the highway. A red traffic light at an intersection brought him to a dead stop. Just as his master overtook him, and was about to grasp his bridle, the traffic light changed to green and Colonel was on his way, leaving behind him another trail of bread and splintered bits of wagon.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 12 (I.N.S.)—Scarcity of natural food for game has resulted in more damage claims during the present fall than in any year in the past, according to John B. Truman, secretary of the State Game Commission.

The unusual situation will be considered at the meeting of the game commission here next week. At that time Truman will present the commission with plans for feeding the game which it is believed will cut down the damage claims.

Claims for damage because of bear and squirrel have been especially frequent. In Sullivan, Columbia and Lycoming counties, bear have attacked and carried off sheep and destroyed a number of bee hives.

Scarcity of nuts also has driven squirrels to corn fields and damage has been reported from the majority of counties.

Reports of damage by deer, always plentiful, recently have become more so. The large number of does, Truman said, in some sections has resulted in a scarcity of natural feed and the animals already are attacking the crops.

YORK, Pa., Oct. 12 (I.N.S.)—The daily newspaper, the radio and laws enforcing school attendance are conspiring to break the hold of the "Pennsylvania Dutch" dialect on the rural tongue in this vicinity.

The waning popularity of the hybrid language of Southeastern Pennsylvania is evidenced in many ways. Candidates for county offices who once made campaign material of the fact that they could speak both Pennsylvania Dutch and English now show no inclination to advertise that fact. Local printing offices have discarded characteristic type used in the printing of sale bills in Pennsylvania Dutch, and Pennsylvanians who knew their "kartoffels" by no other name than "grumberra" are now calling a potato by its English name. (Kartoffel is German for potato and grumberra is Pennsylvania Dutch for the same vegetable.)

Although teachers in rural public schools now seldom find a child who cannot speak English, they have a constant battle with colloquialisms resulting from too literal translations from Pennsylvania Dutch to English.

"It looks like its gonna make down."

"Yes, Pop said for to bring an umbrella with."

So might run a conversation between two youngsters concerning the weather. In York county many rural persons perform verbal antics in the midst of a lingual transition. Instead of approaching they "come the road up." They often "make the door shut" instead of closing it, and instead of saying someone is seriously ill, that person is spoken of as being "wonderful bad."

The word "wonder" and its various forms fill what, did it not exist, would have been an aching void in the transitory dialect. The neighbor who led a "wonderful good life" is "wonderful sick" with a "wonderful bad" case of inflammatory rheumatism and "it wonders" the neighbors how she can stand such "wonderful" pain.

It is not so much the Pennsylvania Dutch dialect as a freak English it has bred in the younger generation that educators have to combat.

YORK, Pa., Oct. 12 (I.N.S.)—To demonstrate the rapid strides made in the art of warfare since revolutionary times, Lieut. M. R. George, army bombing expert, has offered to fly in circles within a half-block of a cannon used in the Revolutionary War, while a gunner fires the aged weapon at him.

"He'd never strike the plane," says Lieutenant George. "And if by accident one of the balls hit the fuselage or wings the damage would be slight."

The cannon is less dangerous by far than one of the small machine guns carried by individual marksmen during the recent war, the officer says.

The Revolutionary "Big Bertha" could be fired at a mark the size of the dirigible Los Angeles from a distance of two city blocks and fail to strike its mark, according to authorities.

The cannon, used during the Revolution, was made at the Michael Ege charcoal iron furnace at Boiling Springs, Cumberland county, and is on exhibition during the York Sesqui-centennial this week.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

A Christmas Bazaar is being planned by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Church for December 2nd and 3rd. A fancy table will be one of the features, upon which will be offered many gifts. There will likewise be other attractions. On Saturday night, December 3rd, the aid will serve a supper, in the banquet hall of the church.

EDGELY GUILD TO MEET

Tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock the Needlework Guild of Edgely will conduct a card party in the Elks Home, here.

BILLY'S UNCLE



BRISTOL BOWLING LEAGUE

Monday, October 10th			
Y. M. A.			
	1st	2nd	3rd
W. Boyd	154	144	152
F. Smith	183	164	128
H. Smoyer	157	115	123
D. Fegley	125		
H. Ratcliffe	132	168	132
R. Phipps		170	152
	751	761	687

FIRE CO. NO. 1			
	1st	2nd	3rd
P. Nills	148	128	140
M. Naylor	155	108	156
M. Jones	127	99	127
H. Stetson	98	127	129
R. Opdyke	99	139	130
	627	601	682

Tuesday, October 11th			
AMERICAN LEGION			
	1st	2nd	3rd
Terneson	124	113	145
Hems	123	122	127
Schmidt	195		
Rafferty	120		
Griffith	124	136	160
Clark		123	138
Ratcliffe		139	151
	596	633	721

HARRIMAN CLUB			
	1st	2nd	3rd
Acker	137	146	142
Zebley	154	173	134
Plum	110	173	142
Randall	178	131	163
Brooks	133	154	145
	722	777	726

ROHM & HAAS BOWLING LEAGUE			
LABORATORY			
	1st	2nd	3rd
Gilbert	132	174	153
Cliff	116		
W. Allen	179	180	138
Bell	121	134	122
Roper	166	167	143
Pollard		121	113
	714	776	669

WAREHOUSE			
	1st	2nd	3rd
Delplane	179	116	113
Peet	132	129	97
Yokel	103	111	119
Longstreet	98	152	158
Pearson	145	164	114
	657	672	602

SPECIAL MATCH			
CROHE'S			
	1st	2nd	3rd
Crohe	157	111	133
Nichols	78		
Shire	101	110	143
Amisson, Jr.	126	138	119
Miller	108	133	122
Groff		142	131
	570	634	649

KARP'S			
	1st	2nd	3rd
Karp	125		
Hirsch	117	136	128
Holden	143	98	119
Coleman	105	122	155
Blakey	94	112	120
Huck		108	149
	584	576	671

Columbus Is Lauded In The Schools, Here

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Columbus' life, and an exercise, "Columbus and the Round World." Two recitations were given, namely: "Columbus" and "The Ships of Columbus."

Grades six and seven had five numbers in their program. The first was the singing of "America"; second, recitation in concert, "Columbus"; song, "Columbus Sailed"; reading lesson on the character of Columbus; song, "America, the Beautiful."

The scholars under the care of Miss Snook gave the following in a most pleasing manner: Poem, "The Ships of Columbus"; William Doan; dramatization of "Life of Columbus," fourth and fifth grade pupils; story, "Adventures of Columbus," Miss Snook; song by class, "Our Flag Colors"; poem, "October Twelfth," Walter Bartley; story by Gladys Smith. These classes, 4-A and 5-B also made free-hand drawings of ships to represent those used by the discoverer of America.

At the Wood street building, programs were presented in two rooms. Miss Bertha Hetherington's pupils gave: Patriotic songs; several statements relative to Columbus by pupils; reading, "Columbus" (Jojoque Miller); Miss Hetherington.

In the room presided over by Miss Sara Lear, the children gave readings appropriate for the day; and extemporaneous talks about Columbus; reading, "Life of Columbus in Spain."

SUPPOSE

Suppose that you were strolling
Through the caverns of a wood,
Brushing back gigantic flora
That sent shivers through your
blood.

Till you reached a pleasant clearing
Where there hung a swaying vine,
That was lurching back and forward
Like that boyhood swing divine,

Quickly crawling to its embrace
Gently rising to the blue,
Should that vine prove a starved
python
Pray, Oh, pray, what would you do?

F. H. BILDERBACK,
Bristol, Pa.

"NO TRESPASS" SIGNS

"No Trespass" signs for sale at the Courier office, Beaver and Garden streets, Bristol, Pa. Place your order early.

New Britain Folks in Court To Have Town 'Corporated

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have a school director in the village for we have not had one for fifteen years that I know of. The roads are muddy and travel is very difficult under the present road supervision in the bad weather. There are no speed regulations along the highway. The

State Police and the Highway Patrol officers travel as fast through the borough as those who violate the laws.

Rev. Horace R. Lequear, of New Britain, as one of the petitioners, testified: "I feel we should be united in one borough instead of having parts of two townships not working together. There is no co-operation where there is division and my reasons, in addition to this, are about the same as previous witnesses. The ability to decide as a unit of our own, will be a big asset. We need a water supply in case of fire and there certainly should be water at the school."

Another petitioner who covered practically every point was Harry S. Handwork, a sales correspondent, who said he wanted New Britain to become a borough. There should be one voting place in the borough, he contended, instead of having to vote at New Galena and Edison.

"I consider the present deplorable condition in reference to voting in the village, a disfranchisement of the voter to some extent. It is a disgrace that citizens of the same community must go either to Edison or New Galena to vote. In many cases the political parties carry the voters but then you feel as though you have to support the party that carried you. Then again, some folks have no means of transportation and will not go to the polls.

"Of the six road supervisors in the two townships not any of them live within two miles of the proposed borough. We have a foreign government of local affairs.

"There are 28 passenger trains that

stop at New Britain daily and I would like to see the borough incorporated so that the community would attract people to locate here.

"School conditions are no better than they were seventeen years ago. I would like to see money spent on taxes in our locality, spent locally."

Andrew Michie, of New Britain, a tape manufacturer in Philadelphia, said that he favored incorporation because New Britain needed building restrictions and laws governing the erection of new homes. He said that when he purchased his place, it was only closed in on three sides tightly.

"Do you manufacture red tape?" asked former Judge Yerkes.

"Never mind, that will be enough," remarked the Court.

Mrs. Nellie Royahn, the last witness for the petitioners, said that she felt that a new polling place was needed more than anything else. She said that she was a committeewoman in her political district and that she has not been able to get all the women out to vote because they had to travel all the way to New Galena. She also contended that better school facilities would result from incorporation. She said school children had been carrying water for twenty-nine years along the highway. She said there were

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Ask for "BANANA SPECIAL"—one of the most tempting dishes you ever ate—25c.

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no school directors, not even a con-

stable in the village.

"I believe the morale of the place

in general would be of a higher stand-

ard, if we were incorporated into a

borough," Mrs. Royahn declared.

GOOD USED CARS WITH AN "OK" THAT COUNTS

- 1925 Chevrolet Touring (Bargain)
- 1926 Chevrolet Coach (Like New)
- 1926 Ford Tudor (A Snap)
- Dodge Coupe (Late Model)
- 1924 Chevrolet Sedan \$125.00
- 1924 Chevrolet Touring \$ 75.00
- 1927 Oakland Sport Roadster (Like New—A Real Bargain)

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"Ann is going to get married!"

"YES! She's engaged to a nice boy. He's not making a big salary yet, but he's a hard worker. They'll have to be careful of their money at first!"

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The advertisements in this newspaper are a most valuable guide to wise buying. It pays to read them regularly